

## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,

Washington, D. C., March 11, 1886.

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W. G. Hunt

Assistant Secretary

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